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CLOSING BATES Yesterday of cotton and gold: Liverpool cotton, no report. New York cotton, 10 7-8c. New Orleans cotton, 10 1-2c. Memphis cotton, 10 1-2c. New York gold, 106 7-8.

WEATHER INDICATIONS. WAR DEPT., OFFICE CR. Std. OFFICER, WASHINGTON, May 23, 1 a.m. For the Tennessee and the Ohio valley,

vising barometer, northerly winds, clear or partly cloudy sceather, and stationary or

lower temperature. OBSERVATIONS YESTERDAY.

WAR DEP'T, SIGNAL SERVICE U. S. ARMY, TUESDAY, May 22, 1877, 10:08 p.m. W. M. M'ELROY, Sergeant.

RELIGIOUS NEWS.

A Delegation of Colored Methodists Pay ing their Respects to the President-The Illinois Presbyterian Assembly.

The Methodist Convention at Baltimore-The German Catholic Association-National Baptist Anniversaries-Etc.

Washington, May 22.—A delegation of the Baltimore and Philadelphia conference of the African Methodist Episcopal church called upon the President this morning for the purpose of paying their respects. They returned their tounks for the consideration manifested by him toward the coldred race, and expressed their desire for the success of his administration. The President approprintely replied, and expressed his pleasure at

that hates the past week. Millers bought very sparing-We scorn to count what bitter, ly at about one shilling to two shillings burning wrongs we have been subjected to by the party that is now clamoring for the removal of Mr. Douglass. We do not ask you to retain the marshal, but that you will not be influenced in your decision by popular ex-

The Illinois Presbyterians. CHICAGO, May 22.—The Presbyterian assembly this morning, after the usual devo-tional exercises, heard the report of Rev. Jonathan Edwards, of Peoria, chairman of the special committee of the synods on the benevolent work of the church. The report benevolent work of the church. The report says that when that committee was first organized it was an expedient way out of a then existing difficulty, which has, however, disappeared now, and that, therefore, though not then unconstitutional, the committee, now infringing as it does upon the supreme court of appeals, has become unconstitutional and unwise. Rev. W. B. Canfield presented a minority report, holding that the committee was both necessary and constitutional. Both

was both necessary and constitutional. Both reports were placed on the docket. The committee to whom was referred the rehaving arisen as to a paragraph which repro-tates the action of some of the presbyteries in retaming a portion, or all of their contri-butions, instead of turning them over to the home board, the chairman was allowed, by common consent, to withdraw that paragraph. The report was then taken up by sections and

The sessions of the afternoon and evening were devoted to the further consideration of the sections of the report on home mission and to addresses on the same general subject.

Among the speakers were Rev. Drs. Dickson,
Blackburn, Milner, Stratton and Page. In
the evening the harmony of the action of the boards of sustentation and of home missions was discussed in the convention with the re-port. The discussion was not fully concluded

when the assembly adjourned. when the assembly adjourned.

During the day a greeting was received from the Presbyterian church, south, which assembly is meeting in New orleans. The telegram says that the Southern assembly disapproved that part of the Northern assembly's greeting which omits reference to the main part of their paper sent to Brooklyn from Savancah, and says: "If our brothers of the northern church can meet us brothers of the northern church can meet us on those terms, which truth and righteousness seem to us to require, then we are ready to establish such relations with them during the present session of the assembly.

Methodist Protestant Convention at Baltimore. BALTIMORE, May 22.—The Methodist Protestant convention had under consideration to-day the subject of obtaining uniform Methodist hymnal to be used in all the Methodist emerches.

The committee on Sunday schools, recom

mended that it be the duty of pasters to or-ganize Sabbath-schools in their various churches, and that a neglect of this important

cusers shall vote on the appeal. If charged with unfaithfulness he shall be granted a trial twenty days after the charge is pre-The committee also recommen that the section in the constitution relative to sion to membership remain the same as

An amendment restricting all persons from admission to membership unless they be bap-

A motion to place in the book of discipline to take his place in the White House. of accused members was concurred in. The committee on ritual made their re-port. The articles relative to the form of baptism, the service of the Lord's Supper, the marriage ceremony, the forms of recep-

tion of members into the church, the ordina-tion of deacons and dedication of churches emain as at present, and those relative to the visitation of the sick and the reception of nationers were stricken out. Rev. D. W. Bath moved to insert in the service of the Lord's Supper, from fourth to the eighteenth verses of the city-third shap-

ter of Isaiah, just preceding the creed.

Agreed to, and the report, as a whole, was

they were included in the other districts.

The report was discussed at length but this. The directors will meet for organiza-

National Baptist Anniversaries. PROVIDENCE, R. I., May 22,-The National Baptist anniversaries commenced this merning with the meeting of the American Baptiet missionary union. The attendance was very large, including clergymen from all parts of the country. The treasurer's reports shows receipts, \$225,723; expenditures, \$242,999; balance against the union, \$17,225, which, with the previous deficiency, makes a balance against the union of \$47,361. There is a definition to the firml of \$13,000.

Northup, D. D., of Illinois, and Prof. J. L. Lincoln, L. L. D., of Rhode Island; recording secretary, Rev. H. S. Bunage, of Maine, with a board of managers of fourteen mnisters and twelve laymen This evening Rev. Dr. Lemuel Mcss, president of the Indiana State university, preached the annual sermon.

The German Catholic Central Association.

CLEVELAND, May 22 — The German Catholic Central Association.

CLEVELAND, May 22.—The German Catholic association of the United States, in convention to-day, decided to abolish the immigrant central committee. The work hereto-fore done by that committee will now be done by the local secretaries at the ports of entry. A committee of seven was appointed to re-port resolutions on the school question to-

Methodist Episcopal. The board of bishops of the Methodist Episcopal church are still in session. They have been detained by the delay of the hymn book committee. The board will probably

BRITISH GRAIN CROPS.

adjourn Wednesday night or Thursday morn-

Progress of the Growing Crops-Con

declined to make any concessions. The imports of wheat into London have now begun to increase, chiefly owing to the action of Germany, which seems to possess a larger surplus for export than the reports of the deficient crop of last year led us to expect. Large shipments have also been made from Rivei. It is probable that large quantities, which are usually shipped from Odessa, will be sent for shipment from the Baltic ports. In the fortnight's report we must, therefore look for an increased arrival of Russian wheat, which will probably, for the time at

Base-Ball. St. Louis, May 22.—Chicages, 4; St. Louis, 2. Base-hits—Chicagos, 9; St. Louis, 3. Errors—Chicagos, 6; St. Louis, 7.

LOUISVILLE, May 22.—Bostons, 8; Louisvilles, 7. Base-hits—Bostons, 11; Louisvilles, 6. Errors—Bostons, 12; Louisvilles, 12. Umpire, — Devinney. Time, two hours and twenty minutes. Home runs were made by Schoeler and Murran.
WHEELING, W. VA., May 22.—The Live
Oaks defeated the Standards, of this city, to-

day, by a score of 12 to 9. CINCINNATI, May 22.—Hartfords, 6; Cin-innatis, 4. Base-hits—Hartfords, 11; Cin-Errors-Hartfords, 10; Cincin-

port of the board of home missions made a report, which was received, and Rev. Kendall, of New York, one of the secretaries of the home board, made the annual address. A question laving arisen as to a paragraph which reports the action. on the engine and started it at full speed to ward the river front. Two freight cars, which were attached to the engine, struck the bump ers at the Washington street wharf with suc force that the engine was thrown from the track and the cars ran into the river. The stranger, who was evidently insane, was pitched into the water by the shock and

> Various Appointments Discussed in Cabinet Session. WASHINGTON, May 22.—At the cabinet meeting to-day various appointments were considered, among them several foreign mis-sions, but no conclusion was reached in any ease, with the exception of Roger S. Greene, to be chief-justice of Washington Territory, rice Joseph R. Lewis, resigned. A number of Territorial appointments were discussed, and persons selected for two or three positions in the far west, but the names will not be made public until they shall have notified the attorney-general that they will accept such

Conspiracy Discovered in San Domingo HAVANA, May 22 .- Advices from San Domingo to the ninth instant state that a po-litical conspiracy was discovered on May 7th in San Domingo City. Thirty persons imolicated were arrested, and others took refuge guards were stationed before the dwellings of all consuls to prevent their further use as asylums. Great consternation prevailed, and a revolution seemed imminent. Maladministration of the finances seemed to be the prin-

A Segre Ravisher Lynched. CAIRO, May 22.—On Sunday night a party of disguised men went to the jail at Bland matter should be cause for their removal from the church. Adopted.

The committee on revision made a report concerning the trial of a minister. If a minister be suspended and he appeals to a committee for a decision be ghall perform the duties of his office while the appeal is pending and none of the committee or accurate while the appeal is pending and none of the committee or accurate while the appeal is pending and none of the committee or accurate while the appeal is pending and none of the committee or accurate while the appeal is pending and none of the committee or accurate while the appeal is pending and none of the committee or accurate while the appeal is pending and none of the committee or accurate while the appeal is pending and none of the committee or accurate while the appeal is pending and none of the committee or accurate while the appeal is accurately accurate while the pending the trial of the intervent of the paid at Bland-valle, Kentucky, and with drawn pistois demanded and received the keys. They then seized the negro, Levi Pile, who attempted to outrage and murder Mrs. C. R. File, tied a rope around his neck, tied him to a mule around the words. Nothing further is known except that his dead body was found hanging to a tree with

Postponement of an Estra Session of Congress Due to Conspiracy. New York, May 22 - The Graphic has a dispatch from Washington to the effect that the portponement of an extra session of conadmission to membership unless they be baptised was lost.

A motion to appoint a committee on the supervision and sale of new books of discipline was agreed to.

A motion to place in the book of discipline to the discovery of a conspirately across the part of congazysmen of both paragrees was give by parid Dudley Field, to introduce a resolution declaring Samuel J. Tilden the honest President elect, and finviting him

Body Found. DAYTON, Way 22.—The body of Earnest Kant, who has been missing for two weeks, was yesterday found in the Miama river, at Franklin. There were marks of vidence about the head that led to suspicion of foul play, but examination showed the wounds to have been sustained after death, the body having floated twenty-five miles in the river. He is supposed to have committed

The committee on boundaries reported, defining the Pittsburg. West Virginia, and Michigan districts, and recommending the Mochigan districts and recommending the Mochigan districts. Not take the Mochigan districts are included in the other districts.

tion on Saturday next. tween twenty and thirty thousand bushels of corn, was totally destroyed by fire to night. The fire originated in the engine-room. Loss about twenty-five thousand dollars; insurance on building, seven thousand dollars in for-

making the endire net receipts, \$238,777.

The following dicers were elected for the ensuing year: Presidend Rev. C. G. Robinson, D. D.; vice-presidend Rev. G. W. The Newman-Beynolds Duel off.
Lattle Rock, May 22.—The differences between Colonel Newman, of the Pine Bluff

FEARFUL ACCIDENT.

The Premature Launching of an Iron Steamship Causes the Death of Seven Workmen and Injury of Several More.

The Scene Heartrending-"Shrieks of Pain Rent the Air"-Superintendent Fountain's Statement.

CHESTER, PA., May 22 .- This morning the aratoga, a large iron steamship which was o be launched at Roach's ship-yard, started from its blocking sooner than was expected, killing and wounding many. Six dead bodies have been removed.

ABOUT FORTY WERE UNDER THE SARATOGA LONDON, May 22.—The Mark Lane Express says that winter sown wheat has improved in appearance, and the damage the plant was thought to have suffered in some districts from the recent severe night frosts has not apparently proved serious. A higher temperature also an ived very opportunely for barley. The agricultural prospect on the continent is also promising, the growing crops in France and Italy especially, are satisfactory. Although the supply of home-grown wheat in Mark Lane has been again very light, the farmers have offered rather more freely at the prominent markets, as the somewhat when she went off. An order was given for

Although the supply of home-grown wheat in Mark Lane has been again very light, the farmers have offered rather more freely at the prominent markets, as the somewhat weaker aspect in the market increased the desire to realize. Business, however, has not been brisk, as growers have, in most cases, declined to make any concessions. The improbably recover. All of the killed and wanted were averaged at the wounded were workmen employed at the yards, and were engaged in knocking the blocks from under the keel. The scene during the time the ship was going off was heartrending, men being seen struggling to escape, while the huge blocks rolled by the ship crushed them to a jelly. No assistance could possibly be rendered by those who were standing by. Instead of cheers, as usually

A WAIL OF ANGUISH WENT UP, and shricks of pain rent the air. As soon as possible, the dead and wounded were carried meeting the delegation.

Daring the interview, the chairman of the delegation said to the President: "We are not a political body, nor are we here to ask any becal favor above that given to the white citizeen; nor are we here to dictate to your honor, the President. We are here to ask tor simple justice; we are here in regard to the petitions circulated for the removal of the marshal of this district. We ask you. Mr. President, to require legal disqualification, and not that he shall be removed in order to satisfy the extreme malevolence of the party that hates nced cutting loose: the men who were down by the after-blocking evidently did not less. Business in floating cargoes has also been very dull, with larger arrivals at the ports of call. There has been a decline of the order was given until the ship started; three to four shillings on wheat and sixpence some of the men remained under, which is trequently the case, to attend to the forward-blocking,

> just previous to her launching here to-day have been accounted for. NO ADDITIONAL DEATHS

> have occurred among the injured, and the limit of the number killed may now be set at seven. An inquest will be held to-morrow

LOUISIANA.

No Foundation for the Rumored Recials in Calcasieu Parish-Meeting of Citizens.

LAKE CHARLES, LA., May 22.—At a massmeeting here to-day the following resolutions were unanimously adopted: Whenkas, Public press dispatches have recently appeared in the newspapers re-porting that there has been, and is likely to be, a violent resistance to sequestration by the United States marshals of a quantity of pine logs in Calcasieu parish under a writ d by the United States circuit court in New Orleans; and whereas such reports have already led to the sending of marshals and an armed posse from New Orleans to Cal-casieu parish, and have induced the governor of the State to telegraph to some of our principal citizens an exhortation to offer no resistance to said marshal's posse; and whereas such reports are well calculated to injure our parish abroad and cause grave anxiety to the chief executive of our State, therefore by the citizens of Calcasieu parish in mass-meeting assembled be it Resolved, That after the most careful inquiry we can find no foundation whatever for

said published reports, except that three cuizens of our parish have used harsh language toward one of the deputy-marshals and two persons acting as keepers of some of the logs Resolved, That it would be an outrage on the people of Calcasieu, always known as a law-abiding people, to hold them responsible for the acts of only three of their fellow-

sequestration in this instance was wrongfully obtained and has been arbitrarily and illegally executed, the people of Calcasieu are not only determined to respect the authority of the court from which it is issued and the officers charged with its execution, but they pledge the honor of Calcasieu that these officers can have at any moment they may choose to call for it any assistance from our citizens in the discharge of their official duty in this matter, which those officers have a legal right

Resolved, That the people of Calcasieu will also feel a personal pride in assisting Governor Nicholls to keep his public and solemn pledge that the peace of Louisiana shall be sacredly preserved. GEORGE H. WELLS.

TELEGRAPHIC BREVITY.

New York, May 22: Arrived-Steamer Bothnia, from Liverpool. San Francisco, May 22; Cleared-Ship Blackhawk, for New York, Philadelphia, May 22: The steamship Ohio from Liverpool, has arrived.

New York, May 22: Arrived-Steamer State of Indiana, from Glasgow. London, May 22; Sir Matthew Digby Wyatt English, architect, is dead. Boston, May 22: Joseph Jasigi, the Turkish consul-general at this port, died to-day. London, May 22: Steamships Caledonia and Oder, from New York, have arrived out. Wheeling, W. Va., May 22: Henry Waliace, a prominent cursen and nail-manufac-turer, died in this city to-day.

Halifax, May 22: Four men and three women were drowned at Malagnawotik. Cape Breton, Sunua, Leath by the upsetting of Cape Breton, Sunon, by the upsett

dollars. Pittsburg, May 22: A fire to-night destroyed the extensive white lead works of Messrs. Davis, Chambers & Co. on the south side. Loss, one hundred thousand dollars; fully insured.

Destruction of Corn.

Columbus, May 22.—The extensive warehouse of Keys & Co., in which was stored be
(Sloversville, N. Y., May 22: A fire last
night burned twenty fendings in the heart
of the village, destroying the stocks of fortysix business houses. Loss one hundred thousund dollars; insurance sixty thousand. Cedar Rapids, Iowa, May 22: Yesterday evening Muialy & Preston's three-story brick block, in process of erection, fell, carrying with it eighteen or twenty workmen, killing one, and injury several, some fatally. High

wind was the cause. was an overwhelming majority for the strike. I never disappoints. Twenty-five cents,

The Northumberland colliers number twenty-

Petersburg, Va., May 22: The grand inter-national British celebration commenced to-day, and will last all the week. The streets are gaily decorated with British and American flags. Delegations from the Canadian cities, Chicago, New York, Philadelphia and Baltimore arrived to-day.

Colombus, O., May 22.—Passengers arriving on the evening train report that a part of the village of Taylor's Station, in this county, was destroyed by fire this afternoon. As far as can be learned tour dwelling-houses, a large mill, and the railroad station were burned. No particulars have thus far been

Cleveland, May 22: The Resident fire insurance company of this city, organized in 1873 by the leading business men of Cleveland, with a catital of three hundred thousand dollars, has decided to retire from business, and on the nineteenth instant reinsured all its outstanding risks, composed entirely of dwellings, in the Scotch Commercial insurance company, of Glasgow, Scotland. Chicago, May 22: A young man named Walter Dupey and a woman named Annie Blade, while out rowing on the lake last night, were overturned, and probably both

were drowned. Two companions in another boat saw the boat capsize in the distance, and could find nothing of the bodies. The affair rather mysterious.'
Late in the day the man was discovered in the city, but it is certain that the woman is drowned. Efforts have been made to raise the body, by firing along the shore in the vi-cinity of Twenty-second street, where the ac-cident occurred, but without success.

BISMARCK.

His Sudden Arrival in Berlin the Theme of Discussion—A Prospective Chauge in 'he German Ministry.

New York, May 22.—The following special from Betlin is published here: "It is officially announced that Emperor William has recalled Prince Bismarck to consider the situation in France, and probably effect a change of ministry upon the relations of France and Germany.

ANOTHER STORY. Berlin, May 22.—The arrival of Prince Bismarck in Berlin is not the result of any sudden determination, nor is there any special political reason for it, it having been arranged before hand as a part of the gen-eral programme of his journey. The North German Gazette, the ministerial organ, reprints passages from previous disparches and speeches of Prince Bismarck, to the effect that the appointment of a clerical and monarchical cabinet in France might be prejudicial to German interests and the maintenance of peace between France, Germany and Italy.

ST. LOUIS.

Illicit Distillers Convicted-Sad Case of Suicide-The Customhouse Fraud Story Contradicted.

Sr. Louis, May 22.—John C. Simpson, of Oregon county, in this State, was convicted in the United States district court yesterday of illicit distilling, the jury finding him guil-ty on all five counts in the indictment. Sentence was deferred by the court. Simpson is fifty years old, was county judge for two years, and has been a Baptist minister for SAD CASE OF SUICIDE.

Louise E. Bostelman, a young lady nine-teen years old, of highly respectable and well-to-do parents, committed suicide yester-day by throwing herself into a well forty feet deep. Her parents' opposition to her mar-riage with a young man for whom she had a strong affection was the cause.

REPORTS OF FRAUD IN THE CONSTRUCTION OF THE CUSTOMHOUSE CONTRADICTED. It was stated in these dispatches a few days ago that reports were in circulation of frauds here, and that the United States grand jury were examining the matter. It is now defin ly known that the evidence before the grand jury was of a very flimsy character and wholly insufficient for the jury to base any action upon it. It may therefore be said that the reports in circulation were untrue, and that there is no testimony reflecting upon the integrity of any one connected with the gov-ernment buildings here.

THE LOUISVILLE DERBY.

The First Day's Sport Under Favorable Circumstances-All the Fa-vorites Beaten-Pools for To-Day.

LOUISVILLE, May 22.—Beautiful weather. iteresting races, and an attendance of ten usand persons were the features of the

The first event was the association purse of \$250; dash of a mile and a quarter. There were eight starters—Janet, Bob Woolley, Elemi, Belle Isle, Kilburn, Tillie Brent, Clemmie G., Yelton. The second and third horses named sold the highest in the pools. Janet won handily in 2:12½; Elemi second, Woolley third ley third.

tucky Derby; \$50 pay or play; \$1500 added; \$200 to the second horse; dash of a mile and a half. This stake had forty-one nominations, and was valued at \$3500. M'Grath's Leonard sold as the tavorite. The horses that got off were Leonard, M'Whirter, Baden-Baden, Lisbon, Vera Crez, King William, Malvern, Early Light, Odd-Fellow, Head-light, Dan K., and Enlight. A good start was made, Leonard leading to the threequarters, when Baden-Baden came up, win-ning easily without the whip; Leonard sec-ond, King William third. Time, 2:38. Five started in the third race; mile heats; purse of \$300; \$50 to the second horse. They Emma C., Courier, King Faro, Grit, and Minnie Gray. Courier was the favorite Faro won the first heat, Minnie Gray the second, and Courier the third. Time, 1:4314. Emma C. won the second heat; Courier second, Faro third. Time, 1:44%. Emma C.

the last heat and race in 1,4724 POOLS FOR THE SECOND DAY Pools on to-morrow's events sold as follows; Two-mile dash—Whisper, \$100; Glasgow, \$65; Katrine, \$50. Alexander stake, half-mile dash—Swigert, \$175; Bramble, \$110; Pomeroy, \$66; M'Henry, \$46; Barnaby Rudge, Speculation, Ike Bonham, Calloway and Crabb, \$55. None sold on the handless.

The Maryland Jockey Club. BALTIMORE, May 22.—The first day of the Maryland Jockey clab races were well at-tended and the track was only three seconds

mile. Won by Explosion; Fraud second, Kenneday third, Mechanic fourth and Vauxhall, filly, last. Time, 1:194.
Second Race.—The Chesapeake stakes, for three year olds, one and a quarter miles, was won by Idolia, Grecian Maid second, Oriole third, Oleaster fifty yards behind. Time,

Third stace.—The handscap stakes, for four-year olds, mile heats, was won by Outcast, beating Komney, Cyril, Ambush, Dauntless, Preston and Mary. Time, 1:46, 1:47, 1:51. Directors of the Cincinnati Southern.

Cincinnati, May 22.—The stockholders of the Cincinnati Southern railroad this afternoon ejected the following directors: Rufus ting, John Shillite Releast Mental Southern railroad this afternoon ejected the following directors: Rufus eight or ten dwellings. Loss fifty thousand the last heat which was won by Outcast. Romney took the second heat and Coutcast the third and the race. Only Romney and Outcast started for the last heat which was won by Outcast. Romney took the second heat and Coutcast the third and the race. Only Romney and Outcast started for the last heat which was won by Outcast. and exciting. Fourth Race .- Steeple-chase, for all age

that never won a steeple-chase race, welter weights, about one and a half miles over a fraction of the regular steeple course, which which was won by Walter Bell, Munday sec-ond, and Calvert one hundred yards away. No time taken. At Point Breeze. PHILADELEHIA, May 24 .- At Boint Breeze to-day there was a race for a purse of six hun-

dred dollars; 2:29 class.

SUMMARY:
Gus Howard, 1 1 3 2 3 1. Grey Chief, 4 3 4 1 1 3. Barney Kelly, 2 4 1 4 2 2. Hannis, 3 2 2 3 dr. Snowball and Chester drawn. Time-2:34, 2:32, 2:31½, 2:33, 2:31½

Russian Movements on the Danube-Little Wallachia-Roumanian Independence Officially Sanctioned.

WAR NEWS.

War between Greece and Turkey Inevita-5le-Maneuvering of the Contending Armies—The Ardahan Garrison Retreating.

The Russians Strengthening the Defenses of Odessa -- Servia Cannot Remain Neutral-Summary of War News.

London, May 22.—The News's Galatz special says: "Yesterday the Russians crossed in boats from Braila to Isaktchi and barned the latter place. The Russians have dismounted their Dobrudscha fortifications, considering them of no further use, as from Braila to Reni the river is sufficiently protected by strong batteries and tornedoes." tected by strong batteries and torpedoes. CONCENTRATING MATERIAL FOR CROSSING

THE DANUBE. The Daily Telegraph's Rustchuk dispatch, dated Monday, has the following: "Great preparations are in progress for an attempt to pass the river between Rahova and Nicopoli. They have brought down by rail to the bank pontoon bridges and small steamers, and are erecting large fortifications at Islaz and Turner Magurele. A continual concentration of troops in the direction of Simnitza is observable. The Turks are fully prepared to resist the attempt."

to resist the attempt." WAR BETWEEN GREECE AND TURKEY INEV-Paris, May 22.—A Le Temps Athens special says war between Greece and Turkey is considered mevitable. The premier, at the opening of the session of the chamber, will deliver a special says which it is thought will be say out in twenty days at the thought will break out in twenty days at the

AUSTRIA HAS MADE NO PROMISES CONCERN-ING LITTLE WALLACHIA. VIENNA, May 22.—The Presse says no promise concerning the neutralization of Lit-tle Wallachia has ever been given or demanded. It was only with respect to Servian neutrality that Austria expressed certain wishes which have been complied with. OFFICIAL SANCTION OF BOUMANIA'S INDE-

PENDENCE. BUKAREST, May 22.—The following is the resolution adopted by the chamber of deputies yesterday: "This takes note that war is proclaimed between Roumania and Turkey, and declares that the connection between the two countries is dissolved." The unanimous-ly desired independence of Roumania thus receives official sanction, and the counts upon the sense of justice of the guar-anteeing powers. The senate has voted upon a bill creating military decorations.

THE TWO ARMIES MANEUVERING. St. Petersburg, May 22.—Three thousand Kurds, twelve thousands Bashi-Bazzuks, five infantry battalions and artillery are moving northward from Lake Van to join the Turkish forces at Kara-Kaliska. The Turkish detachment which was expected to attack Bayazid has fallen back toward Lake Van. The body of a Turkish chief-of-staff was found among the slain at Ardahan.

THE ARDAHAN GARRISON RETREATING. ERZEROUM, May 22.-The troops compose ng the garrison at Ardahan are retreating to Ardalusch. A Russian column has left for Kaigismon to reinforce the central division

London, May 22.—An Odessa letter states at the militia commander of the south coast as taken measures to defend Odessa against Urged to Recognize his Government. that the militia commander of the south coast has taken measures to defend Odessa against a coup de main, by concentrating there force of three brigades of infantry, eig setnias of Cossacks, and six squadrons of light Olchakoff to Ockennar, according to the signals of the coast-guard. Odessa seems less threatened than Olchakoff. Great cure has been bestowed of late on this fortress, which, with the works at Kinburn, protects the en-trance to the bay and the mouths of the Oneiper, and consequently Nickolajef, the only ship-building place thereabouts, since the destruction of Sebastopol. For some days Turkish vessels have been cruising there, at Olchakoff, not only these stores and the ship-building yard, but also Kherson and other great towns on the Dneiper basin would be open to them. The Turkish squadron, consisting of two monitors, three iron-clad rigates, several small vessels, and a whole flotilla of barks, supposed to have volunteers on board, are cruising in the waters of Se-bastopol and Upatoria. It is reported that this fleet will not be satisfied with bombarding places on the coast, but also means to excite an insurrectionary movement in the Crimea. It cannot be denied that a spirit is beginning to show itself in the population which is not calculated to inspire much con-

fidence, The southeast corner of the Crimes is now almost entirely occupied by Moham-SERVIA CANNOT REMAIN NEUTRAL. London, May 22.—A Vienna correspond-ent hears from Belgrade that the council of numbers resolved that Prince Nulan should inform the czar that after the Roumanian proclamation of independence, Servia cannot naintain her neutrality. A similar report is current in Pesth. The Roumanian declaration of independence caused but little sensation in Vienna. All the Hungarian papers nowever, declare that the hour of action

arrived for Austro-Hungary. WHAT IT TOOK TO CAPTURE ARDAHAN. VIENNA, May 22.—Specials from Tiflis say that the Russian force which attacked Arda han numbered eight thousand, besides which several thousand encamped before the town. During the flight of the Turks, the Russian cavalry inflicted a loss of seven hundred. AN AGREEMENT BETWEEN AUSTRIA AND

RUSSIA. LONDON, May 22 .- The Times's Belgrade special says: "It is stated here in the high-est circles that the Servian government has received procfs that a convention exists be tween Austria and Russia by which they agree to act in the most complete harmony, and the Russian troops, therefore, at present will not enter the Servian territory."

THE RUSSIANS GETTING INTO POSITION ON THE DANUBE. VIENNA, May 22.-A Vienna dispatch says the only news of importance from the Danube is that the Russians have taken the place of the Roumanians at Oltenitza. On the wenty-first instant, after the Russians occupied all of the positions, the Roumanian livision marched out and went westward to join the Roumanian troops, who, according to unomical statements, are all to be concentrated in Little Wallachia to maintain th defensive, which will place Prince Charles in mmand of an army corps, The Times's Bukarest dispatch says that the Russian corps are gradually but surely getting into their assigned positions. The in-

fantry wagon trains of the twelfth corps are still passing Bukarest, It is not expected that Prince Charles will assume the title of King of Roumania before the independence of the country is recognized by some or all of the guaranteeing powers. THE RUSSIAN ADVANTAGE IN THE FALL OF ARDAHAN.

London, May 22.-The Times's Vienna correspondent remarks that the fall of Ardy-han beside securing to the Russians their position before Kars, opens out a new line of operations either against Kars or Erzeroum. The council of ministers at Constantinople, Sunday, determined to send all reinforcements still arriving in Constantinople to Ba-toum and Ergeroum. The authorities at Constantinople seem to overlook the fact that

and preventing them, or any other reinforce-ments, from getting the Tchurkson line to Erzeroum or any other threatened points. SHORT WAR PARAGRAPHS. CONSTANTINOPLE, May 22.—The Porte ha een inquiring of the contractors about th

time in which quantities of provisions could be stored in Constantinople. LONDON, May 22.—An Alexandria dispatch says the Turkish convoy for the Egyptian contingent arrived on Monday. It consists of the iron-clad frigate Mahomet Ali and a cor-vette. The troops will embark on Tuesday. The Telegraph's dispatch from Turtuka Monday evening reports that forty-two Russian battalions, three batteries or artillery and some cavalry have just arrived on the opposite of the river at Oltenitza. An attack is expected daily.

A dispatch from Erzeroum reports that the Russian center has driven the Turks from position at Karadrhaman, a village near Kars

All indications betoken that the Russians are making a serious movement on western

Sulgaria.

The Danube rose nine inches between Sunday and Monday.

The Servians are making preparations for the offensive at Saitschar and along the k. They have ordered the fortification of Alexinatz and Isovar.

The Turks have stationed a strong corps o

observation at Adlio to guard against any sudden movement from Servia, It is reported in Vienna that the Servians wish to operate in the direction of Nashia and against Nisch.

Prince Milan is about to leave Belgrade to
visit the czar at Ploesti.

Vienna, May 21.—Rumors are in circulation here that negotiations are pending for a
a triple alliance between Germany, Austria

LONDON, May 22.—A dispatch from Con-stantinople to-night says that since the cap-ture of Ardahan the Russians appear to be preparing for a vigorous attack on Kars. The Turkish ministers have resolved to draw no solvey during the war. salary during the war.

St. Petersbung, May 22.—A dispatch dated Sotschi, Tuesday, reports that the Turks attacked the Russian position at Adler, A severely contested engagement ensued. A Turkish man-of-war has been violently bombarding Adler since ten o'clock this morning. New York, May 22.—The following special cable dispatch is printed here, dated Paris: "A dispatch from Constantinople says that the members of the Turkish chamber of

leputies are quarreling, and that governmen oubles are feared.' FRANCE.

Popular Abuse Heaped on President MacMahon-Fresh Changes in Prefectorial Administrations-Etc.

London, May 22.—A Paris special reports that the impressions gathered in a visit of investigation to the artisans' quarter of Paris show that Duc de Broglie is scarcely mentioned in the popular clamor, all abuse being heaped on President MacMahon. Parts, May 22.—Fresh changes in the prectorial administrations are gazetted, affecting fourteen departments. A letter from Sen-ator Krantz is published, adhering to the manifesto of the left, and stating that he will continue to hold the post of commissary-gen-eral of the exhibition of 1878, and as long as

t is compatible with the independence of hi Le Temps states that the circulation of forign newspapers in France will only be permitted after a minute censorship. Some newly appointed prefects show a disinclination to accept their posts. The radical depu-ties under Louis Blanc will draw up a declaration violently inveighing against the minis-ters, but commending calmness, prudence, and the employment of lawful means to secure the triumph of the republicans.

MEXICO.

CITY OF MEXICO, May 22.—The popularity cavalry. The thirteenth corps d'armerie is to be employed in defense of the coast-line from creasing. Senor Seamacona, late member of Senor Romero, ex-minister of Mexico to the United States, have strongly recomm their friends in the United States to urge a early recognition of Diaz. It is reported that the acknowledgment of Diaz by foreign powers would follow his acknowledgment by the United States. France and England will then be invited to renew relations. Turkish vessels have been crusing there, seemingly with troops on board. Great stores of provisions and ammunition are accumulated at Nikolajef, and in the event of accumulated at Nikolajef, and in the event of Provisions and ammunition are accumulated at Nikolajef, and in the event of Acapulco.

Four thousand troops have marched to the footier where General Escobedo is expected to commence a revolution.
Washington, May 22.—The departmen

> department has also received information to the effect that a pronunciamento has been issued in the State of Guerrero, in the mountains of Mexico, by the friends of Governor Alvarez, against the central government of Mexico. Rumored Gold Discovery Near Searcy. Arkansas. LITTLE ROCK, May 22.—There is considerable excitement at Searcy, in White county overthe finding of what is taken to be a gold-

of State has received information of the death of Louis N. Delastro, vice-consul o

the United States at Tampico, Mexico. The

MARRIED.

M'CLELLAN-HADEN-On the 22d Inst., at the Cet trai Methodist Church, by Rev. James A. Heard, D.D., Mr. L. B. M'CLELLAN, of Tallula, La., and Miss M. S. Haden, of this city. heaven crown the union with great happiness. POSTAL -- HOBSON -- At the residence of the bride's mother, on Ross avenue, Thursday, May 17. 1877, by Rev. Dr. Steadmam, Mr. CHAS. M. POSTAL, of this city, and Miss Luiu Horson, of Aberdeen,

DIED. McCullers—On Monday evening, May 21st, Mathew Curtis McCullers, aged 10 years. Funeral from the residence of his father, Joseph R. McCullers, 49 Poplar street, this (WEDNESDAY

morning, at 10 o'clock. Friends of the family are

invited to attend. Carriages in attendance.

FAIRES—On the 2 d lnst., Mrs. Mary A., beloved wife of James B. Faires, aged 32 years. [Talla-hatchie and Grenada (Miss.), Florence, (Ala.) and Fayette (Texas) papers please copy.] Friends of the family are invited to attend the funeral, from the residence, 110 Monroe street, this (WEDNESDAY) afternoon, at 112 o'clock, when the T. R. R., for interment.

His friends and army companions are invited to

assend the funeral services, from the residence of Joseph S. Johnston, No. 262 Poplar street, this WEDNESDAY) morning, at 9 o'clock. NIGHTS of PYTHIAS—Regular meetof Memphis Lodge, No. 6, K. of P.,
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